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NOTICE OF APPEAL FROM THE EXAMINER TO THE BOARD OF PATENT APPEALS AND INTERFERENCES		Docket Number (Optional) 0042-0483P
In re Application of Takeo TSUTSUMI et al.		
Application Number 10/618,686-Conf. #5519		Filed July 15, 2003
For CIGARETTE		
Art Unit 1731	Examiner D. A. Walls	

Applicant hereby **appeals** to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the last decision of the examiner.

The fee for this Notice of Appeal is (37 CFR 41.20(b)(1))

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Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27. Therefore, the fee shown above is reduced by half, and the resulting fee is:

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A petition for an extension of time under 37 CFR 1.136(a) (PTO/SB/22) is enclosed.

I am the

applicant /inventor.

assignee of record of the entire interest.
See 37 CFR 3.71. Statement under 37 CFR 3.73(b) is enclosed. (Form PTO/SB/96)

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